

## Report to the Consumer on Water Quality

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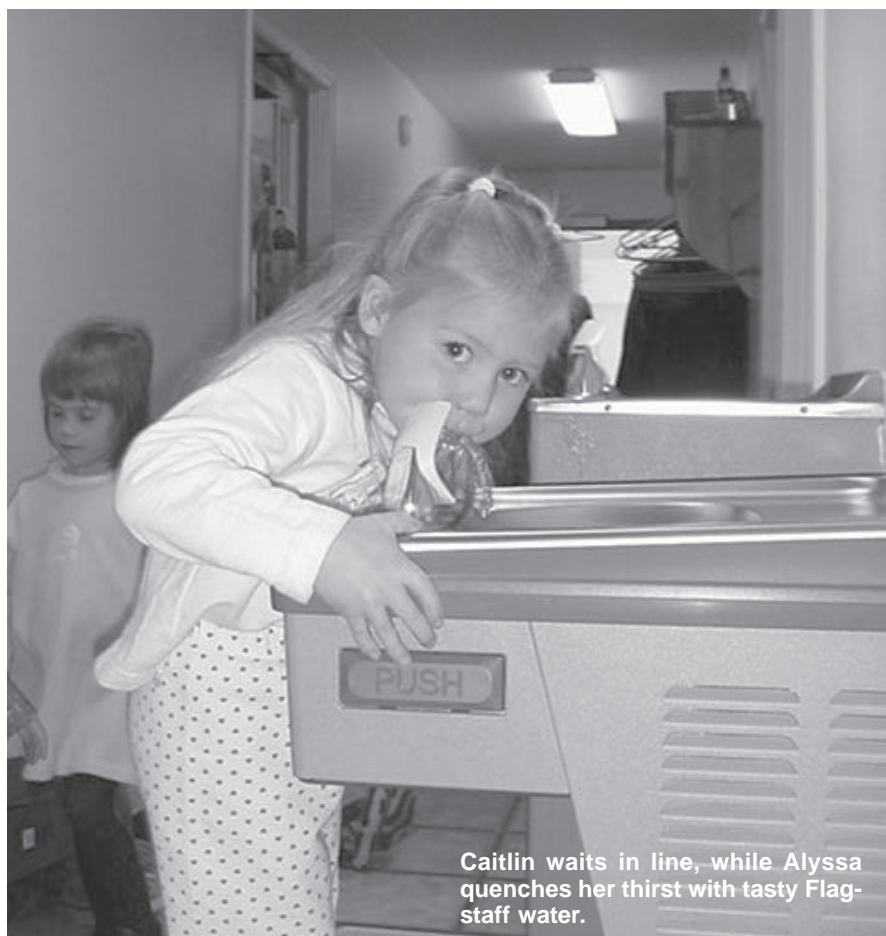
Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua beber. Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

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Doo bik'i'dinitíhgoó da, t'áá shoodí t'áá háida ta' níká'adoolwot dóó hazhó'ó yee nit ch'ihodoo'áát.

### Dear Water Consumer,

We are pleased to present you the 2001 City of Flagstaff *Report to the Consumer on Water Quality*. This Water Quality Report outlines where your drinking water comes from, how it is treated, and the results of tests performed to ensure your water meets all drinking water requirements. As mandated by

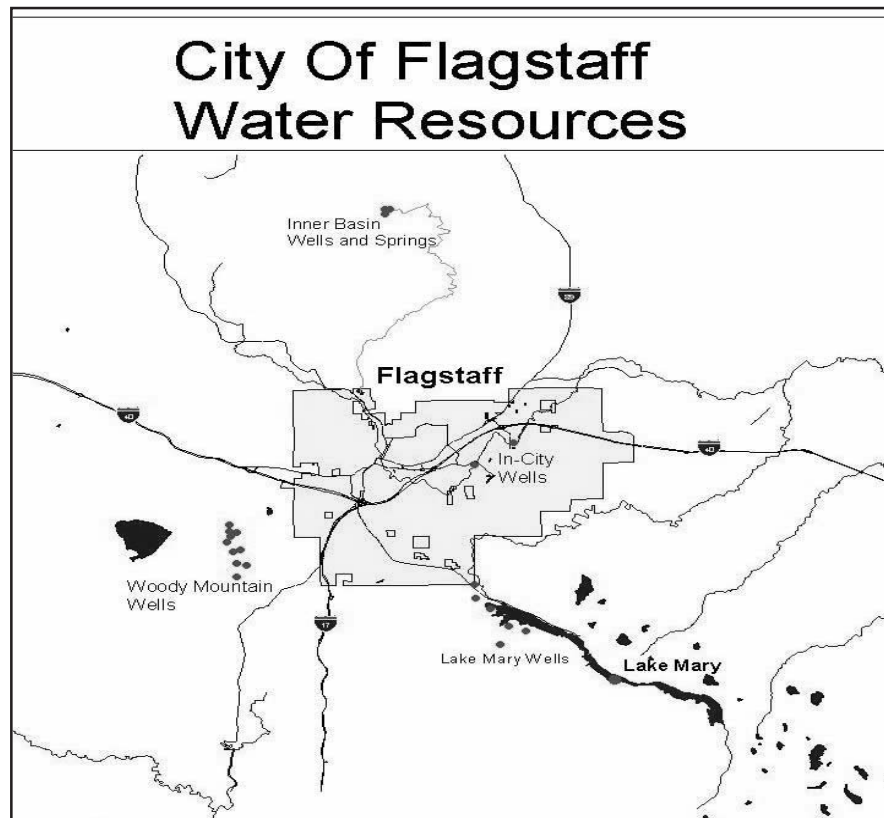


Caitlin waits in line, while Alyssa quenches her thirst with tasty Flagstaff water.

the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA), the "Consumer Confidence Report" also informs you of the contaminant levels in your drinking water, among other important health information.

It is the goal of the City of Flagstaff Utilities Department to provide you with high-quality, safe, drinking water that not only meets, but also exceeds all federal and state standards set by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ). Last year we conducted 3,670 tests for 141 contaminants in our water. As in years past, we did not detect contaminant levels higher than the EPA, or the ADEQ allows. There were zero violations of the Safe Drinking Water Act during 2001.

In an effort to attain our goals, we strongly encourage public input and participation in our community's decisions affecting your drinking water. Regular Water Commission meetings occur on the third Thursday of each



month. The meeting locations are posted on the official City bulletin board at City Hall. Meetings begin at 4:00 PM and you are always welcome.

Copies of this report are available at the Utilities Administration Office, City Hall 211 West Aspen Avenue, Flagstaff, AZ 86001, or on our web-site at [www.flagstaff.az.gov](http://www.flagstaff.az.gov). We hope this report provides you with valuable information about your drinking water that is easy to understand, and confirms that you can count on the City of Flagstaff for quality on tap. Our results show it.

Ron Doba  
Director  
Utilities Department

### Water Sources

In 2001 your Utilities Department distributed approximately 2.87 billion gallons of water to Flagstaff customers. Total water production decreased from year 2000 levels, due to good winter and monsoon season, as well as effective conservation programs.

The City of Flagstaff is supplied by surface water from Upper Lake Mary and the Inner Basin of the San Francisco Peaks. We also pump groundwater from the Woody Mountain Wellfield, Lake Mary Wellfield, and other "Local" wells, which tap the Coconino and Supai Aquifers. These sources blend in the water distribution system and the amount of water coming from each



Drilling at the Interchange Well, one of two new "local" wells drilled last year. Crews worked day and night to complete the project.